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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner For Patents
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Re: Applicant(s): Siddhartha Nandi, Abhay Kumar Singh, Oleg Kiselev
Assignee: VERITAS Operating Corporation
Title: System And Method For Dynamically Loadable Storage Device I/O
Policy Modules
Serial No.: 10/717,037
Examiner: Unassigned
Docket No.: VRT0091US Filed: November 19, 2003
Group Art Unit: 2122

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page) (*in duplicate*); and
- (3) Response to Restriction Requirement (10 pages).



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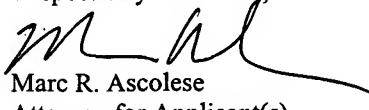
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the non-final Office Action dated September 30, 2005, having a shortened statutory period set to expire October 30, 2005.

No Amendments to the Specification are presented in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

No Amendments to the Drawings are presented in this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.